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SPECIFIC Request for Name Checks

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As requested in reference, traces have been run on the following persons:

1. WEIDEMANN, (fnu) Without further identification, it is impossible to trace subject through information available here.

2. BODINGER, (fnu) No record.

3. HAVLICEK, Jan. Our files contain no references under the name Jan. Of the numerous HAVLICEK fnu's, the following is the only one which appears possibly pertinent: according to a recent Zipper report, dated 11 June 1953, one WILFERT fnu, alias HAVLICEK, worked for the SD in Prague from 1939-1945 and in 1945 was captured by the Czechs. After his arrest WILFERT is said to have betrayed many of his former colleagues and Czechs who had cooperated with the SD. Between 1945 and early 1950, WILFERT allegedly worked for the SEB in Prague. In 1950 he was seen in Munich where he told an acquaintance he was working for a GIC agency (sic). Recently WILFERT appeared at a transit camp for refugees in Linz stating he had escaped from a Czech prison. Zipper's informant said WILFERT planned to go to Bavaria as soon as possible.

4. KIRCHNER, M. A. The following appears in a list of suspected Soviet agents, apparently prepared from German RSHA dossiers for the information of RSHA offices, date of information c. 1940: "Max KIRCHNER 17.1.06, Goldlauter, Eisenformer, RSHA, IVAL." There are no other likely traces.

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